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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: )  
Inventor: GORDON B. MILLS et al. )      Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned  
Serial No.: 10/085,979 )      Examiner: Not Yet Assigned  
Filed: February 26, 2002 )  
For: METHOD FOR DETECTING )  
CANCER ASSOCIATED WITH )  
ELEVATED LEVELS OF )  
LYSOPHOSPHOLIPIDS )

### TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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#### I. DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED:

In response to the **NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(f)**, which was mailed by the Patent Office on 04/08/2002, enclosed are:

- Declaration
- Power of Attorney:  Separate or  Combined with Declaration
- Assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ (together with PTO Form 1595)
- A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR § 1.53(f)

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#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. §1.10)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as 'Express Mail Post Office To Addressee' in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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**II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME:**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136 apply.

Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$55.00
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**Fee**

If any extension fee is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

**III. FILING FEES**

Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

<b>BASIC FILING FEE:</b>						\$740.00	
Total Claims	30	-	20	=	10	x \$18.00	\$180.00
Independent Claims	1	-	3	=	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$280.00	
Surcharge 37 CFR § 1.16(e)	\$130	(if applicable)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$130.00	
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>						\$1,330.00	
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$665.00	
Extension of Time (from above)						\$0.00	
Assignment -- \$40 (if applicable)						<input type="checkbox"/> \$0.00	
<b>TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HEREWITH</b>						\$665.00	

**IV. METHOD OF PAYMENT OF FEES:**

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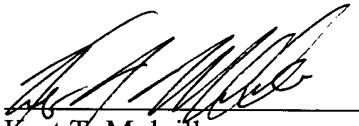
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge Lyon & Lyon's Deposit Account No. **12-2475** for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.445 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account No. **12-2475**.

Respectfully submitted,

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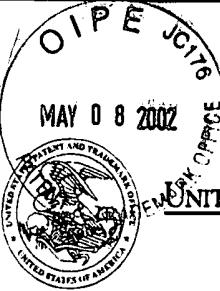
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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

## FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$230.
  - \$90 for 10 total claims over 20.
  - \$140 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 665.**

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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